

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

The application has been amended as follows:

Cancel claims 18-38, 41-55, and 58-62.

Claim 39

Replace in page 4, line 2 "card through the Internet, comprising:" with --card through an Internet, comprising: --

Replace in page 4, line 5 "monitoring the latest Internet address where the authorized entity is visiting through the" with -- monitoring a latest Internet address where the authorized entity is visiting through the: --

REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

The following is an examiner's statement of reasons for allowance:

BPAI has reversed Claim Rejections under 35 USC 103 of claims 39-40 and 56-57 on May 2, 2012. Accordingly, in accordance with MPEP 1214.04, claims 39-40 and 56-57 are allowed.

Drawings

The drawings filed on November 16, 2000 are acceptable.

Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to MARISSA THEIN whose telephone number is (571)272-6764. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F 8:00-5:00.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Ryan Zeender can be reached on 571-272-6790. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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